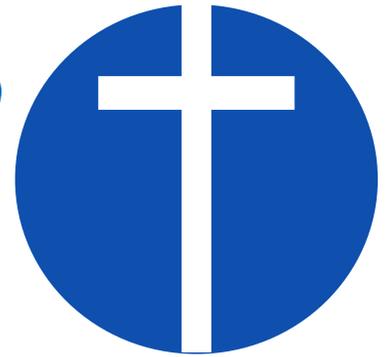


Tower Times

St. John's United Church of Christ
515 East Third Street
Dayton, OH 45402

August 2019



I recently saw a quote that said “Life is really just telling yourself ‘after this week things will calm down’ over and over again until you die.” I have to admit, that seems to describe life around St. John’s this summer! It seems as though we’ve been constantly preparing, building, facilitating, developing, etc., in 2019. In fact, I’m not even sure how many projects we have spinning right now...all I know is that I sure don’t have a problem sleeping at night!

In the midst of all this craziness, you might think that I was losing what little sanity I had left or that I was ready to burn out and leave town? I’ll admit, there have definitely been a few moments where I’ve over-reached and it’s come back to bite me. All-the-same, in our busyness, I have learned quite a bit about myself, my work habits, and what I both need and have to do if I want to keep my head above water! There are various items that correspond to all of those things, but one of the most unexpected and yet beneficial items I’ve found myself doing in the midst of everything is taking a day for fasting and quietness.

I know, fasting and quietness doesn’t really sound like something you’d readily associate with me and it’s definitely been a surprise development on my end. Nonetheless, I’ve found myself taking a day—at least once every two weeks—to stop, sit, turn-off, and tune-in to Almighty God. While my stomach has been less than thrilled with the fasting practice (though, my waistline hasn’t argued) it has become amazing to me what comes to mind when one stops and truly takes a focused approach to engaging God.

I write all of this, certainly not expecting you all to take up fasting and solitude, but it does have me wondering more about a question I asked in a sermon earlier this summer: “What do your own spiritual disciplines look like?” Obviously, each of us has to figure out our own spiritual lives as Almighty God leads us and what is good for me may not exactly be good for you. Still, I hope you have at least one practice that brings you closer to God in your daily life. If you don’t, I would encourage you to check out some of the activities available in this issue of TT and perhaps consider coming and taking part with us at St. John’s!



LOFTY WORDS

From Rev. Jeffrey Campbell, Minister of Worship

Worship in August will bring us some special treats!

August 4: Lynn and Doug Norton will share music with us as we celebrate our monthly service of Holy Communion.

August 11: Mark Kennedy will sing!

August 18: The Rocky Creek Band returns with their lively and unique style.

August 25: We will celebrate “Easter in August.”

The Resurrection of Jesus is at the center of our faith. So we will take an extra Sunday this year to celebrate and give thanks for the wonderful news of Easter!

Favorite Hymns?

Throughout the month, we will sing hymns suggested by members of the congregation. If you would like to request a hymn, there are bright orange forms in the narthex. Pick your hymn(s) and put the form in the offering plate or turn in to the office.

Join the Choir? Join the Choir!

Our new choir season will begin Sunday, September 8. Please consider joining with us. The music is not hard. We have a lot of fun and it’s a wonderful way to serve God and the congregation. Practices are each Sunday at 9:15 am. Current choir members, I look forward to your smiling faces! It’s lonely up in the choir loft during the summer. I know the congregation looks forward to hearing from us again.



Hello St. John's Family,

Warm Christian greetings to all!

For the last three months or so my ministry at St John's was so engaged and focused on PRAYER having the desire to have a PRAYER-GROUP in the church. I can't thank God enough for members who committed themselves to take part on this ministry. It's quite amazing how God work through the PRAYER-GROUP as it continues to progress to create a "house of Prayer" at St John's and become a regular ministry. The group initially agreed to meet once a month. But after three meetings, the group felt the need to meet at least twice a month. And I'm so blessed working with this group for they they are so committed and passionate for the cause. Our meetings were so filled with fruitful sharing and discussion leading us to learn from one another and much more learning the things from above.

At this early stage, we come to learn that PRAYER is for discovering God's will. Prayer is not all about "give me," "help me, " "do this for me." Prayer is for finding out what God wants from us. This is the very reason the PRAYER-GROUP made a covenant together to spend time in prayer and meditation simultaneously every Thursday, 8:00 clock in the evening. This spiritual exercise will eventually developed into a spiritual discipline that will guide us to learn how to listen to the voice of God leading for the transformation of our lives and to be empowered that we might become instrument for His Glory.

For the month of August we will be meeting on the 1st and 15th of the month. Praying that God will continue to touch people to join this ministry of prayer.

With you in prayer,

Hector



TRY *Something* NEW

Rev. Adam will be teaching a new study series over the 12 classical sermons of Meister Eckhart starting on Tuesday, August 13th at 6:30pm in the chapel and continuing through the early Autumn. Eckhart was a 13th/14th century German mystic who is thought of as the “Father of German Thought” particularly in Christian Mysticism. While he died quite long ago, Eckhart’s writings have much to say to you and I today. I encourage you to pick up a reading packet over the first two Sundays in August and to join us for a lively time of thought, discussion, prayer, and practice!

Also, as you might read elsewhere in this issue, we have purchased a new church management software system. One of the many neat things that this software will allow us to do is to better our standard of communication and even have some “digital church” in the near future. You might see a strange e-mail or two as we get things set up—we’re still learning as we go! Don’t worry! We’ll have a big roll-out once everything is in place and make sure we walk everyone through all the neat and new stuff that we can handle as a church family! Look for further updates on this as we proceed into Autumn.

Tower Times – VP Report – Aug., 2019

GERMANFEST - Aug. 9, Sat., Aug. 10 & Sun., Aug. 11:

We appreciate the help of St. John's, just as last year.

St. John's members – please wear your t-shirts to help with St. John's publicity.

Come & enjoy yourselves at the Picnic!

For Long Range Planning:

Sat., Dec. 14 – Elisabeth Von Trapp – at the Human Race Theatre

She is a folk singer; she tours the country; born in Vermont.

Grand-daughter of Maria & Baron Von Trapp – Sound of Music.

Her father was Werner Von Trapp (played guitar).

Respectfully submitted,

Chris van Breukelen, VP



Prost!
Dayton Niederkrantz-Turner
GERMANFEST PICNIC





WORSHIP COMMITTEE

STIVERS NEWS

Come September, we'll be heading into our fourth year of choir supported by our **Percy Jones Scholars for Sacred Choral Music** fund. Pastor Jeffrey is in the process of talking with Stivers people to secure a young man to replace Logan Van Bibber. Jeff and I are to meet with this person in the near future. Jaelynn will be back this year to support our sopranos. These young people add much to our choir's ability to provide worshipful music for our Sunday morning's service. They do receive a small stipend for singing with us. This is not a budgeted item, but is fully funded by donations from members who have a special interest in our music program. Thanks to Doug & Pat Goudy, Chris & Wilfred Van Breukelen and Percy Jones for donations received in June. How good it was to see Mr. Jones again when he attended our Sunday service a few weeks ago. Envelopes are on the desk in the narthex if you care to contribute to support of the program.

Pat Kern

GOOD GRIEF - In this issue we've included expressions dealing with grief by well known authors, Facebook contributions, words of our own group. This may seem a 'heavy' subject to lift up in the church newsletter. We want to emphasize our group exists as a support group, not a therapy group, for our congregation. Our third Saturday of the month meetings are filled with good food, fellowship, some insights offered, a good laugh or two and getting to know each other a bit better. This month we welcomed 3 new folks and were able to share in the joy of one of our members who received word of 'cancer free' of a parent. We meet the third Saturday, August 17 at 4:30 place to be announced.

Pat Kern



Budget & Finance

The Budget & Finance Committee met on Monday, July 8, 2019. The meeting was called to order and

present at the meeting were Patty Staley, Chair, Ron Duckson, Vice Chair, Nicholas Schumacher, Secretary, Isaiah Ashba, Treasurer, Debbie Watts and Reverend Wirrig. Norm Neubauer was out due to recent passing of his brother. Our thoughts and prayers are with him and his family.

Minutes for the June meeting were reviewed and approved.

Isaiah Ashba reviewed the corrections made to the May Treasurer's report for May including the corrections with respect to the Wedding postings which also affected and correct the income and deficit totals. The report was approved as corrected. Isaiah then presented the June Treasurer's Report. Income is up over last year by \$4,634. The deficit is once again trending lower with Operating Income less expenses for the month leaving (\$1,148). Expenses this month included the routine salary and administrative costs but also expenditures by Building and Property totaling \$1,550 - \$1,010 of which was for parking lot work by Houser. Funds are now being posted to Restricted Gifts to be held for application towards the loan approved by Cornerstone once funding of the loan has been completed. A posting of the Vanguard Dividend is incorrect and will be reversed and properly posted. Designated Missions totaling \$835 have been received for Good Neighbor House and the for Disaster Relief. Disaster Relief funds are expected to go out this next week to the Red Cross and SONKA. It was noted that there were no postings for Electric or Gas - Isaiah will look into why they did not hit the report as they were entered. Parking income in the amount of \$1,336.00 was received (this does not include the adjustment for the miscalculation from May which should be in the July payment). Due to corrections that need to be made in postings and report compilation, the Committee agreed to table voting on the June Treasurer's Report until corrected and presented at the August Meeting.

Reverend Wirrig presented an update regarding General Synod including meetings with Cornerstone and the Insurance Board. His meeting with Cornerstone was very positive in that they recognized that they have the loan in process and are excited to be partnering with us. With respect to the meeting with the Insurance Board, it was noted that we have a very robust coverage and items that we were concerned were not covered actually are and some things that could have been claimed under the policy were not but now it is too late to do so. We will have our agent go through our policy line by line and determine what we really need and if there is a cost savings to be had (it is expected that there is). We will have a detailed breakdown of all that is covered for Building and Property specifically so that future items that can be covered can be addressed through the insurance at that time. Reverend Wirrig also had the opportunity to meet with some top representatives of United Church Funds and they are open to coming in to meet with us to discuss investment and other funding options that can be considered for meeting future needs of the Church.

Before that happens however, we will be gathering information on current investments and how they are funded to make for a more productive determination of the benefits to be gained from such a meeting. Again, Reverend Wirrig noted that there are many things that we as a Committee and Church are doing very well and ahead of others. There are things we can do more with but we should all be extremely proud and continue with our current direction.

Old Business included the construction loan which is in process but has not yet been funded. Cornerstone is going through everything and we do expect funds as soon as they are complete. In regard to Stewardship, Patty has information from Norm, Ron and Debbie. Nick will get his information to Patty and Isaiah is welcomed to add if he has time and would like. Patty will compile a draft packet Saturday and email it to the members (Debbie will get a draft on Sunday). The ESOL contract was presented with the recommended \$2,000 increase. The contract accepted and signed. Due to Isaiah being in the hospital last week, he and Nick were unable to complete the process for the Credit Card Kiosk but do plan to reschedule do work through the process over the next two weeks. Also, Reverend Wirrig noted that after discussions and review of various packages with Isaiah, Patty and Susan Kolze, we will move forward with purchasing the Realm Financial Software as a replacement for the current Church Windows software. There is no major cost difference so there are no required approvals.

In new business, Patty touched on the new Teams that will be part of the new structure and asked that everyone think about their roles now and what they see them being in the next year with the changes in structure with Stewardship and fundraising rolling over to the Fundraising Team and the Finance Team being able to be more focused on the actual Fiscal Controls, Grants and in depth financial issues. What more can each member do, what can the Committee/Team do? What are we doing now and what needs to be done next?

Patty reminded everyone that we start the budget process with the Committees due to have budget information submitted in August. September B&F is responsible for the carry-in so we need to decide what we will be doing for that and to also be prepared to work on the budget at September's meeting for presentation to Council in a timely manner.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Next Meeting: Monday, August 12, 2019 at 6:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Patty Staley, Chair,

Budget & Finance Committee



St. John's United Church of Christ Building and Property Committee July Tower Times Report
Thank you to flower volunteers for beautiful flowers for community.



B&P Members: Brian Dunkle, Ed Humphreys, Jill Johnson, Marlene Miller, Bill Smith (chair), Brian Thompson, Wilfred van Breukelen, Tim White (*In Memorial*). Support: Steve Boggs, Rev Dr. Adam Wurring

Renovation Work – the Work has Begun! Thank you all!

There are five contracts approved for building repairs:

Midwest Maintenance – exterior brick work

Korrek Plumbing – separation & repair of heating system

July 16 Korrek Changed broken coil in duct system

New Boiler ordered and will be installed prior to heating season

Sturgill Roofing – roof repair – Immediate Repairs completed

Since repaired no additional water has entered the building

Sturgill has some additional preventive repairs to make

Ornamental Iron – removal and re-install of fence will reinstall late summer

CertaPro Painting – exterior window painting

We have estimate on inside repair

Need to review and begin work as soon as possible

Spire on small tower needs repaired (leaning)

Parking Lot Repair

Houser Asphalt repaired the drain in middle of west parking lot and the sink hole. They also patched two potholes near the alleyway. Funded by the Parking Lot Fund

Steve and I continue to request service from city for the potholes in the alleyway.

Dishwasher Replacement

Proposal was presented to Women of St. John's (WOSJ) members in July Meeting. The WOSJ approved the proposal and will fund the implementation of the plan to remove existing system and to install two dishwashers to replace the current system.

Church Sanctuary Clean-up Sunday August 25

Immediately after Worship Service and BEFORE Fellowship hour, congregation members who are willing and able to volunteer in a Sanctuary Clean-up. Tasks will be available for all physical abilities. **ALL ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE**

B&P will provide instructions for clean-up of different parts of the Sanctuary. Instructions and more information will be provided

We will be using a long pole dust mop and short dust mops and dust rages

Only power equipment will be vacuum cleaner

Clean-up tasks should be completed in less than an hour

B&P began Exploration of options and opportunities for Solar panels

Enhance the Entrance to the Sanctuary (hallway 1st floor between buildings)

If you have ideas or what to help plan this adventure, please let me know

Clean Stage in Fellowship Hall

B&P is planning a stage cleaning toward the end of September. A new audio and lighting panel has been ordered and will be installed. These will increase our ability to “stage” various events and activities as well as flexibility.

Latch Hook Artwork of The Last Supper donated to church on Stage



The beautiful piece of The Last Supper is at least 8 X 12 ft with latch hook mounted on plywood. Does anyone know the artist? Who donated this piece to the church?

If we cannot find the owner or someone who wants it by September 15, we will find a new home for it.

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Creation Justice Churches

Whether it is taking on climate change or addressing the lead poisoning of children, environmental justice ministries could not have a higher purpose or calling than they do now. If the followers of Jesus today care about the air we breathe, the water we drink, or the world in which we live, then environmental justice ministry should undoubtedly be an integral strand in any church's DNA. The UCC's Creation Justice Church program aims to help you do just that. Here are some of the tremendous features and benefits of doing the program:

- Congregations collectively discern their high calling to care for creation and seek justice for the oppressed.
- Congregations make a commitment so serious and so sacred that it necessitates talking about God's covenant with us and with all of creation.
- Congregations not only become recognized as "green." They become a part of a larger network of churches and a larger movement to change the world.
- Congregations engage in critical thinking about the socioeconomic dimensions of environmental justice such as race, class, and global inequality.
- Congregations foster a deeper sense of connection: connection to God, to each other, and to the world in which we live.

Congregations unleash their imagination and creativity as a sense of purpose propels them to make a difference.

Learn more about how churches can participate in UCC's Creation Justice Church program:

https://www.ucc.org/creation_justice_churches.



Council Minutes
St. John's United Church of Christ
July 11, 2019

Present: Adam Wirrig, Douglas Goudy, Chris van Breukelen, Ballard Yates, Isaiah Ashba, Patty Staley, Karen Clark, and Pat Kern.

Guest(s): None

The meeting was called to order by President Douglas Goudy at 06:04 p.m.

Devotions: Isaiah Ashba presented the opening devotions and prayer.

Secretary's Report: Ballard Yates had e-mailed and distributed the minutes of the regular council meeting of June 13, 2019. As there were no additions or corrections requested for the June minutes he asked they be approved. President Doug Goudy declared them approved.

Financial and Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report for June, 2019 had been distributed in the normal fashion to council members prior to today's meeting. Isaiah Ashba, made the following comments:

He reported that the corrections to the Treasurer's report for May had been made, including the corrections with respect to the Wedding postings which were also affected and had also corrected the income and deficit totals.

Total General Offerings for June, 2019 were \$12,871 which is greater than June, 2018 by \$4,634 and less than Year To Date by \$3,407.

Expenses were routine salary and administrative costs with the exception of \$1,550 of Building and Property Committee expenses which included \$1,150 of parking lot repairs. The deficit for June was \$1,148.

The Restricted Donations Account includes funds donated in advance to the Loan Repayment.

ABM Parking Donations received were \$1,336.

Isaiah noted there were several items on the June report which he wished to investigate.

By consensus, the council approved the corrected May report and tabled approval of the June report until next month's meeting.

Old Business

Building of Committees

This item will be an ongoing monthly item. Progress continues toward the 2020 conversion of the committee function to the new team structure. We shouldn't focus on "committees," "Teams" focus on Ministry, and the church is doing ministry.

New Business

Active Shooter

With many church buildings and public spaces experiencing active shooter situations, we need to review our practices. We do a good job on the main floor with monitoring access prior to our service and then locking the parking lot door. Jeff Gerrior monitors the Third Street entrance during worship service. The upper floor is normally locked during these times. The lower level is a potential problem as it tends to be unlocked during Sunday mornings. Should someone be able to access the lower level, just by using unsecured internal doors, they would have access to the entire building. Doug Goudy has requested a security evaluation of our building.

Loan Status

This process is continuing toward completion. We are required to place two years of payments (\$13,726) in an escrow account. After two years these funds will be released to us, or applied to the loan, as we choose. Discussion centered about this requirement. We will be able to meet the requirement, but timing is the issue.

ESOL Contract

The church requested a \$2,000 increase for next year due to increasing use of the building. Our request was approved.

Ed and Judy Humphrys' Luncheon

August 4, was selected as the date for the luncheon in honor of Ed and Judy Humphrys. The council will coordinate this event.

AED Defibrillator

Doug Goudy noted that we need to have a number of people in our congregation that are knowledgeable concerning the use and operation of defibrillators. In the past, we have had some qualified people, but most members of this groups are no longer active at St. John's, or whose certifications have expired. He indicated that he needed detailed information on the units that we have. He also needs to know whether any of our volunteers just want to be trained, or whether we want them certified. Steve Boggs has agreed to obtain the needed information concerning our units.

Boundaries

The council discussed this issue. As a congregation we need to clarify and respect the boundaries of conduct with our fellow members. On occasion people have differing opinions on a subject, and tend to be so stringent on their opinion that they fail to respect these boundaries of conduct with their fellow members. This is a very difficult issue to address and attempt to resolve. A review of our church history may seem to indicate that this has contributed to some of our pastoral changes over the years.

Story Time with the LGBT Center

Rev. Adam commented that if we wish to grow and thrive we need to develop a program for children. On occasion he has met with couples who appear to be interested in St. John's but when they discover we don't actually have a program for children their interest diminishes. In order to have a children's program we need to attract a sufficient number of children into our church.

One suggestion would be to have several sessions over the year that would be of interest to children. We need to develop a group adequate to build a regular program. One possibility would be to offer a space to the LBGt community to have a one session story hour. This could be followed a period of time later, with a session to meet police officers, later a session with fire department and EMT personnel etc. This approach might give us a start toward building a program.

Committee Reports Received

The following Individuals and Committees submitted written reports: Vice President, Budget & Finance, Building and Property, Worship, and the St. John's Pastor.

Items for the Good of the Order:

Congregational Outing (Possibly in September?).

Adjournment

Patty Staley made a motion that the meeting be adjourned which was seconded by Karen Clark and approved by vote of the council.

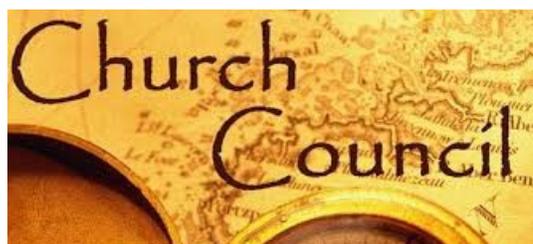
Closing:

The meeting was closed with all praying the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Ballard Yates, Council Secretary

Next regular meeting Thursday, August 8th, 2019 at 6:00 P.M. Devotions and opening prayer by Ballard Yates



WORDS ON GRIEF

Grief is the last act of love we have to give to those we love. Where there is deep grief, there was great love. *...facebook post 12/28/18 Rev. Jeff Campbell*

Grief never ends. But it changes. It's a passage, not a place to stay. Grief is not a sign of weakness, nor a lack of faith...It is the price of love.

...facebook post 11/17/18 Jane Rowan Mott

All this is to say that I see a difference between the grief of active church goers and the pain of those who stay away. Everyone hurts, of course. But when death comes for a family member there is often a sturdiness, a resiliency and a healthy sort of acceptance in the eyes of those who have baked cookies to serve at memorial teas, who have sung hymns at funerals of old saints or who have sat down, surprised to see an empty spot in the pew where a friend from a church committee had worshipped only weeks before. Churchgoers have grieved before, they've already felt death's sting.

In their pain I see a strength that exists before I begin my uncertain, pious talk about the afterlife--a realism and grit that might surprise those who assume that Christian comfort rests on nothing but belief in things unseen.

*...Matt Fitzgerald, pastor 07/11/12
The Christian Century magazine*

To weep is to make less the depth of grief. *... Shakespeare
Henry VI*

When you replace "Why is this hapening to me?" with "What is it I need to learn from this?" Everything shifts. *...Unknown*

Facebook 3/9/19

No great wisdom can be reached without sacrifice. *...C.S. Lewis 1898-1963*

One day at a time is enoughDon't look back and grieve the past - it's gone.
....Don't be troubled about the future. It has not come yet....Live in the present and make it so beautiful, it will be worth remembering.

Fresh Minds Matter 5/23/11

(Facebook 5/17/19 with no name attributed)

When someone is going through a rough time... just sit with them. No preaching, no advice, just be there.

Clergy Coaching Network

You will lose someone you can't live without, and your heart will be badly broken and the bad news is that you never completely get over the loss of your beloved. But this is also the good news. They live forever in your broken heart that doesn't seal back up. And you come through. It's like having a broken leg that never heals properly - that still hurts when the weather gets cold, but you learn to dance with the limp.

Anne Lamott

Crying With Permission - I remember that even the all-powerful Christ was moved to tears by loss. I remember these tears, and I weep. Jesus knew we'd need permission to cry sometimes.

Marchae Grair 6/19/19

General Synod UCC 'Still Speaking' Writers Group

NOTE: Some of our group's discussion centered around the aspects of grieving for dreams unfulfilled as well as the normal grieving experiences in the living/dying process. **Gary Barlow** has a keen interest in Japanese Haiku poetry and shared work of a Japanese poet, Choko, who died in 1731 at the age of 46.

*The final scene I'll not see
to the end = my dream
is fraying.*

*Sue ikki
mi hatenu yume no
hotsure kana*

Diane Peters submitted a list of suggestions for dealing with grief in our lives.

I had my own notion of grief.
I thought it was a sad time
that followed the death of someone you love.
And you had to push through it to get to the other side.
But I am learning that there is no other side,
there is no pushing through
but rather there is absorption, adjustment, acceptance.
And grief is not something you complete.
But rather endure, grief is not a task to finish and move on,
but an element of yourself. An alteration of your being
A new way of seeing.
A new definition of self.

!GOOD GRIEF GROUP



In
Living
Memory

Memorial Contributions were made in memory of Don Neubauer by Ron and Nancy Duckson, Norm and Janet Neubauer and Amy Lynn, and Wilfred and Christine van Breukelen.

Memorial Contributions were made in memory of Tim White by Ann and Tony Morrissey.



Janet and I want to thank all of you who offered prayers, sent cards, voiced condolences, and were kind enough to attend the visitation and funeral of my brother Don. It was of great comfort to both of us to know how many of our church friends were with us with their support when we needed it the most.

In Christian Love,
Norm and Janet Neubauer

Birthdays

03—Cheryl Zwick

03—Bill Smith

07—Linda Murray

10—Betty Lou Martin

14—Anita Hedeker

16—Debbie Watts

20—Steven Watts

22—Diane Peters

27—Charlyn Botteri

28—Karen Clark

28—Nathan Compton

28—Christine van Breukelen



Flowers & Fellowship

Flowers for the altar in the sanctuary can be purchased each week to help beautify the worship service and then take and enjoy in your home. Sign ups for the flowers are on the corner by the coat rack beside Reverend Adam's office, and priced as follows: one bouquet is \$13.75 and two bouquets are \$27.50. Flowers can be dedicated in memory or in honor of a loved one or event. Checks can be made to the church with indication that they are for flowers. Thank you for participating in this tradition.

Fellowship hours are open for sign up as well. Please contact the church office if you can help supply snacks and refreshments for our weekly fellowship hour here at St. John's. A new sign up sheet is in the basement fellowship hall for your convenience.

Flowers

8/4—Marilyn Schwinn

8/11—Pat Caroots

8/18—Steve Boggs

8/25—Gary Barlow

Fellowship Hour

8/4—Council Carry-In for Humphrys

8/11—Fellowship Committee

8/18—WOSJ

8/25—Easter in August

August 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
 SUN 28 ● 10:30am Worship S	MON 29	TUE 30 ● 6:30pm Trinity Birth	WED 31	THU Aug 1 ● 3:30pm Prayer Gro	FRI 2 ● 11 am Staff Meeting	SAT 3
4 ● 10:30am Worship S	5	6	7	8 ● 6pm Church Council	9 Germanfest ● 11 am Staff Meeting	10
11 Germanfest ● 10:30am Worship S	12 ● 6:30pm Budget and	13 ● 6:30pm Teaching S	14	15 ● 3:30pm Prayer Gro	16 ● 11 am Staff Meeting	17 ● 4:30pm Good Grief
18 ● 9am Building and P ● 10:30am Worship S	19	20 ● 6:30pm Teaching S	21	22	23 ● 11 am Staff Meeting	24
25 Easter in August ● 10:30am Worship S	26	27 ● 6:30pm Teaching S	28	29	30 ● 11 am Staff Meeting	31

